Social and Personal

Final preparations for the presentation of "Miss Salan" at the Academy of Music to-morrow evening are going of Music to-morrow evening are going on smoothly, and a large and b. illant crowd is expected to till the house when the outnin is rung up at \$130 o'clock.

The "ladies" wigs for members of the cast have been sent from Madame Rochon, of Washington; the picture hats for the "ladies" of the company have been loaned by Madame Reinach, of East Broad Street, this city, and Mr. Carl Gundlach, the make-up in the line of stage costuming, is on his way from Washington. Washington.

company will arrive this after-

Washington.

The company will arrive this afternoon and spend the evening in putting in an appearance at the different receptions and teas to be given in honor of the University boys. To-morrow forencon a full dress rehearsal will be held.

The presence of the Blues' Battalion at the Academy to-morrow evening in beautiful full dress uniform will tend, with the debutantes' gowns and the elegant tollets wern by society belies and matrons present, to produce an exceedingly brilliant and effective scene.

The boxes and loges have been set aside for the Richmond debutantes, who have received invitations and their excerts, many of whom will be from the Blues. Among these young ladies will be: Miss Lillian Binford, Miss Louise Herbert, Miss Nan Morris, Miss Gladys Frazier, Miss Naille Gordon, Miss Mary Drawry, Miss Mary Drakes, Miss Louise, Purcell, Miss Lina Shields, Miss Edith Grant, Miss Laura Rutherfoord, Miss Sophy White, Miss Lily Pegram, Miss Elike Parkinson and Miss Hazzard.

As usund, the boys from the State University will be more than cordaily received. They have received cards to the Westmoreland, Commonwealth and Albemaric Clubs, the Hermitage and Lakes'de Country Clubs, and the Deep Run Hurl.

The club will be accompanied to Richards.

of the company from the Woman's class.

The club will be accompanied to Richmond by Mrs. Russell Bradford and Miss Mary Page Booker, of the University of Virginia; Mrs. P. L. Conquest, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. Landonia Dashiell and Mrs. R. Carter Scott, of Richmond, will look after matters of costuming and entertuinment during their stay here.

"Miss Satan" was produced with great success in Harrisonburg, Va., Monday night. The sule of seats at the Academy, up to the present moment, indicates excellent prospects for Thursday evening.

Women Whisters.

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The Milton Work Club had an unusually spirited game at their weekly meeting in the Woman's Club last afternoon, Mrs. James J. Hickey and Mrs. Ben Palmer came out ahead, north and south; Mrs. Ben Nash and Mrs. Parker, east and west

The Emma Andrews Whist Club will meet at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. Belrne Blair, on West Frant-

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club will meet to-night in the home of Miss Mary Elizabeth Moore, on West Franklin Street.

The Kate Wheelock Whist Chib will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. E. A. Shepherd in No. 924 Park

Association Meetings.

The Central Committee of the A. P. V. A. will hold an important called meeting at 4 P. M. to-day in No. 707 East Franklin Street.

The Hollywood Memorial Association met yesterday at noon in the Second Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Maxwell Carke, the treasurer, resigned 50th was successfully persuaded by the association to retain her office.

Mrs. E. C. Minor, Mrs. Stephen Putney.

Mrs. Lizzie Cary Daniel and Miss Minnie Baughman were appointed to confer to-day with the Finance Committee of the Legislature and secure a renewal of the Legislature and secure a renewal of the appropriation for the care of the Confederate graves in Hollywood.

Cards Recalled.

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The invitations issued by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mayer for the marriage of their daughter. Roga Capers Mayer, to Mr. Willard Daughas, Lenke, have been recalled on account of recent bereavement in Mr. Leake's family.

The ceremony will be performed guistion the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mayer, the parents of the bride, on the forenoon of January 37th at 10 o'clock, and will be witnessed only by the immediate families and relatives of the contracting parties.

Miss Madeline Kengla, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Kengla, and Mr. Fran's Wi'ard Adams, manager of the Richmond branch of the New York Mutual Life Insurance Company, will be married at 8 P. M. to-day in No. 927 Rhode Island Avenue, Washington, D. C., the Rev. Edward L. Bucker, of St. Matthew's, officiating.

The ceremony will be witnessed only by the families and a few intimate friends, but a large reception will follow. The matron of honor will be Mrs. Arthur Ferris Bennett, of New York city, and the best man Mr. Nelson M. Sherman, of Washington.

Weisiger-Ramstetter.

The wedding celebration of Miss Mattie Louise Ramstetter and Mr. Howell Reed Weisiger took place yesterday at 6 P. M. in the home of the bride, No. 1 South First Street, the Rev. Dr. W. E. Evans, of Monumental Episcopal Church, being celebrant.

The bride was gowned in pale gray and wore a Gainsborough hat. Her flow-ers were a shower of Bride roses. Miss Etta McGrath, of Germantown. Philadelphia, was maid of honor, wearing pink volle and de sole and carry pink roses. The green and his bride rose. roses. The groom and his best man, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron's Recep-

gray trousers.
After their return from a wedding trip
Mr. and Mrs. Weisiger will be at No. 1
South First Street, Mr. Weisiger being
associated in business with W. F. Ma-

Annual Silver Tea.

The ladies of the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association will give a tea in Lee Camp Hall but attention from 5 to 7 o'clock, to which they invite all the veteran associations and all persons interested in keeping green the memori's of the sacred days of 1861-55. The thin gray

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for the refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.-Charles Eliot Norton.

Alas! How Light a Cause.

BY THOMAS MOORE.

These verses are taken from Moore's long poem Lalla Rookh. Other selections from Moore, his portrait and biographical sketch have already appeared in this series.

LAS |-how light a cause may move Dissension between hearts that love! Hearts that the world in vain had tried, And sorrow but more closely tied; That stood the storm, when waves were rough, Yet in a sunny hour fell off, Like ships that have gone down at sea, When heaven was all tranquillity!

A something, light as air-a look, A word unkind or wrongly taken-Oh! love, that tempests never shook, A breath, a touch like this hath shaken, And ruder words will soon rush in To spread the breach that words begin; And eyes forget the gentle ray They wore in courtship's smiling day; And voices lose the tone that shed A tenderness round all they said; Till fast declining, one by one, The sweetnesses of love are gone, And hearts, so lately mingled, seem Like broken clouds,-or like the stream, That smiling left the mountain's brow As though its waters ne'er could sever,

Yet, ere it reach the plain below, Breaks into floods, that part forever, 918 moore

This series began in the Times-Dispatch Sunday Oct. 11, 1903. One is published each day

The signature, R. E. Lee, which appeared in yesterday's "Poems You Ought to Know," was incorrect. The mistake was due to an error in using the wrong cut. We print the correct autograph of General Lee to-day.

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line grows thinner, and the veterans will not long be here. It is the aim of this association to care for the officers' section in Hollywood, and to co-operate with the parent association in its annual celebration of Memorial Day, but in nehleving these objects a far more important one is attained—the education of the cause of the Confederacy—in appreciation of the glory of its heroes, and inculcating ideals on which to form their lives.

A liberal patronage of this most deserving effort is due the cause and its upholders. Refreshments will be served after will be a delightful musical programme, and the piece of sliver given in place of a card at the door will encourage the young people in their labor of love.

Mr. cran is from Boston, but is a clated with a prominent firm of at the projected improvements at West F have been placed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Cran are spend-ing a few days with relatives in Rich-mond, and Mrs. Cran was a guest at the Woman's Club Monday evening.

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DEEPER CHANNEL AT NORFOLK

Committee Will, on 26th of the

Month, Give a Hearing to Rep-

resentatives From the City.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.-Rep.

resentative Maynard, of the Second Vir-

ginla District, has arranged for a bear-

ing of the citizens and representatives

of the business bodies of Norfolk and

clock A. M. The committee will be urged to recommend an appropriation

for the deepening of the channel, and for

other improvements needed. It is un-

Portsmouth by the Committee on Rivers and Harbors on the 20th instant at 10

Mr. Maynard Introduces Bill De-

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brokerage business in stocks, grain, provisions and cotton, for the present at
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sion at Danville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BASKERVILLE, VA., Jan. 19.—The article in The Times-Dispatch of the 17th Instant, headed "Baskerville Sent On." in which Deputy U. S. Marshal Bland is credited with capturing Baskervill nad secretited with capturing Baskervill patch reporter that "young Baskervill had made a confession to him of having robbed the postoffice at Gypsy," is missicading and calculated to do an injustice to the Baskervill family of this neighborhood.

The facts regarding "young Baskervill" The Baskervill Case.

for the deepening of the channel, and lot other improvements needed. It is understood that Admiral Harrington, the commandant of the Norfolk navy-yard, who has always been deeply interested in the improvement of the channel, will appear before the committee also.

Mr. Maynard introduced a resolution to-day, which provides that a survey be made of the island at Jamestown with a view to having the government do further work there to prevent the encroachment of the river. The work completed some years age did geat good in preventing the further washing away of the shore, but Mr. Maynard says that the erosion of the land at anothe point where riprapping was not done, is very great, and that the island will eventually disappear unless the government takes steps to preserve it. The island has for years been under the care of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, and it was largely due to the efforts of the association that the first appropriation from the government for the preservation of the shores was secured.

MORE FIELD WORK.

Boys Try to Whip a Man. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HEATHSVILLE, VA., Jan. 18.—Allie Raines and Monroe Lewis, son and nephew of Mr. Edward Raines, of Rainswood, were tried before Justice Eichelberger Saturday and fined fifteen dollars each and costs. It seems that the boys entered Mr. Raines' house and persuading him to go out in the road, tried to whip him. Mr. Raines promptly knocked one of them down and came here and sworo out a warrant for them.

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Mr. Maynard is also engaged in very important work for the tobacco growers and truckers of Virginia. He is endeavoring to have an appropriation made for the purpose of having more field work done in behalf of these crops by the Department of Agriculture. The effort he is making looks to having reperts made on the tobacco and truckes, the acreage, the present condition, and the prospects, just as is now done on the subject of the cotton crop. The amount of money he seeks to have appropriated for this purpose is only \$23,000, yet he hardly hopes to get the entire amount this year. But he does hope to get enough to start the work, which he thinks will be of inestimable value to the truckers of his district. Senator Daniel, and Representatives Jones and Lamb went to Baltimore to night as the guests of the Confederate Veterans' Association of that city, at a banquet in commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of General Robert E. Lee. A special committee from the association came to Washington in a special cardand escorted their guests to Baltimoré. A humber of members of Congress were in the party. Senator Daniel will probably go on to Philadelphia to attend a dinner given by the celebrated Clover Club of that city before he returns to Washington. The latter part of the present week he expects to go to Richmond in anticipation of his election to the Senato by the General Assembly. The election will not take place until next Tuesday.

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"POMPEII" OF TO-DAY.

Dr. Foushee and Other College Professors Lecture in February.

Last session the faculty of Richmond Criles delivered a course of lectures to following the line in which he was best adapted by his own researches, and somarked wis the success and such was the enthusiasm with which they were received that it was decided to repeat the plant thy year.

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devited much of his time to the study of this paculiar substance, he is eminently fitted to speak most entertaining by of it. Many experiments will be performed with liquid air, which will add greatly to the interest of the lecture. The fourth and last lecture will be delivered by President Boatwright on the 23th of February. His subject will be, "The Present Status of Delication in the control of the Boatwright has traveled extersively in Europe and studied his subject earefully, and his lecture will be one of the most interesting of the series. This friends of Richmond College are condially invited to hear all of these lectures.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

The Executive Committee in Ses-

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVIJLE, VA., Jan. IS.—The executive committee of the State Board of Agriculture met at Hotol Burton this afternoon and transacted a large volume of routine business. The meeting of the beard will be held to-morrow.

The members of the board, including Commissioner Kolner, have accepted invitations to inspect the large plant of the Riverside Cotton Mills and one or more of the big tobacco plants of the city.

robbed the postonice at Oylor injustice to the Baskervill family of this neighborhood.

The facts regarding "young Baskervill's robbery of the postofice" are these: October lath last the local magistrate here was applied to the local magistrate here was applied from the railroad office here. The young Baskervill, a negro boy, for stealing a plast from the railroad office here. The young negro was subsequently arroad office here. The young negro was subsequently arroad on the young negro was subsequently arroad new young here. We have young the young here young here. Young here young here young here young here young here young here young here. Young here young here young here young here young here young here. Young here young here young here young here young here young here. Young here young here young here young here young here. Young here young here young here. Young here young here young here. Young h

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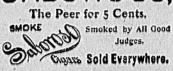
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